

WEATHER FORECAST

For 24 hours ending 5 p.m. Wednesday:
Victoria and vicinity—Southern
winds, unsettled and mild, with rain.
Lower Mainland—Easterly winds, un-
settled and mild, with rain.

Victoria Daily Times

WHERE TO GO TO-NIGHT

Royal Victoria—Cleopatra.
Pantages—Vaudeville.
Dominion—The Thunderbolt.
Variety—Nine ladies of the Law.
Columbia—The Parisian Tigress.
Romano—A Fight for Love.

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COAL EMBARGO IS DISCOURAGED BY MR. SLOAN

EUROPEAN ALLIES ARE ANXIOUS LEAGUE OF NATIONS START WORK

Nations Must Proceed Without Waiting for United States, Says London Chronicle; French Want No More Negotiations

London, Nov. 18.—Commenting upon the reservations to the Versailles treaty made by the United States Senate and President Wilson's threat to withdraw the peace pact, The Chronicle, which is supposed sometimes to reflect the view of Mr. Lloyd George, says:

"Unless the League of Nations is to fall altogether, other nations must go ahead for some years without the participation of the United States, and we hope they will promptly decide to do so."

"Great Britain and France have been very anxious not to hurt American susceptibilities and there is no foundation for the rumor suggesting they have addressed representations to Washington regarding reservations," the newspaper continues. "In justice to our own people and Europe, however, we can not delay in getting to work with the League."

No comment is printed by other newspapers, but they give President Wilson's threat a prominent place in the news columns.

French View
Paris, Nov. 18.—Regardless of the American Government's attitude, the peace treaty of Versailles will be put into force, according to the prevalent view here to-day following the report that President Wilson might withdraw the treaty from the United States Senate.

Whatever happens, the feeling in French circles is that France cannot meet the German plenipotentiaries again, and French opinion is that Italy and Great Britain have a like feeling.

Brazil
Rio de Janeiro, Nov. 18.—In view of the fact that Brazil has already approved the Versailles treaty, including the covenant of the League of Nations, there is much interest here in the action of the United States Senate in adopting reservations.

In the Chamber of Deputies a proposal was submitted declaring "the commission on diplomacy and treaties should establish a Brazilian interpretation of the treaty, since such action has been taken by the United States Senate."

U. S. Senate.
Washington, Nov. 18.—Initial negotiations looking to a compromise on the treaty reservations were opened late to-day between Republican Leader Lodge and Administration Leader Hitchcock in Senator Lodge's office.

The vote on the McCumber reservation was fifty-four to thirty-four, forty-five Republicans and nine Democrats voting for adoption and one Republican and thirty-four Democrats against.

A reservation to the peace treaty making the entrance of the United States into the International Labor Conference contingent upon action by Congress was adopted to-day by the Senate.

PARIS PAPER'S CIRCULATION REACHED 6,000,000 YESTERDAY

Paris, Nov. 18.—All records for daily newspaper circulation were broken yesterday when 6,000,000 copies of The Presse de Paris were distributed. Copy was centralized at the offices of The Petit Parisien, where proof-readers and make-up men were kept busy and where the stereotyping prepared the plates. The presses of The Petit Parisien proving inadequate, plates were sent to the plants of The Matin, The Journal and The Petit Journal, where the presses were running at high speed throughout the morning.

In the afternoon the Socialist newspaper The Bon Soir, acknowledged the defeat of its party. "Clemenceau is victorious, terribly victorious."

The Presse de Paris is the joint daily newspaper being published by the great daily newspapers of the French capital while a strike of the printers is in progress.

PREDICTS TRAGIC WINTER IN EUROPE

Economic Situation May Cause Upheavals, Says Frank Vanderlip

Italy is in Worst Position, Says an American Banker

Toronto, Nov. 18.—F. A. Vanderlip, one of the most prominent bankers and financiers of the United States, who was the guest of the combined Canadian and Empire Clubs here yesterday, predicted a tragic situation this winter in Europe economically, resulting perhaps in grave political upheavals. He also predicted refusal by the American banks to extend the necessary \$3,000,000,000 absolutely needed to save the situation.

Industry Paralyzed.
"In the United States," he said, "we are only beginning to see how serious is the situation in Europe. The outlook is for a very tragic winter. There is a paralyzing of industry, and lack of fuel, work and food. The most insistent need of all is extension of huge credits to buy food and raw materials that the countries may resume their industrial life."

Britain is on ration, Austria is literally starving, Russia is worse than that, but in the most serious situation, to Mr. Vanderlip's mind, is Italy.

RIZZO ELECTED BY FIUME ITALIANS

One of D'Annunzio's Leading Supporters Returned to Italian Chamber

Fiume, Nov. 17.—Via Rome, Nov. 18.—Lieut.-Commander Luigi Rizzo has been elected to represent Fiume in the Italian Chamber, receiving 7,000 votes.

Commander Rizzo, who is well-known for his daring exploits during the war, one of which resulted in the sinking of two Austrian battleships off the Dalmatian coast, is one of the supporters of Gabriele D'Annunzio. When D'Annunzio left Fiume recently for Zara, Rizzo was left in command of the city.

Socialists in Cities.
Rome, Nov. 18.—Socialist candidates for seats in the Italian Chamber are leading in Rome, Turin, Milan, Florence, Ancona and Parma, but are in the minority in Southern Italy and in the rural districts.

The Giornale d'Italia called Sunday's election the bankruptcy of the new electoral law, asserting the people showed apathy in going to the polls. It is declared the voters were not attracted by the fact that they had to vote a list of fifteen candidates instead of one, as usual.

Few disorders have been reported to the Government, and none was considered grave.

Nitti Elected.

Rome, Nov. 18.—Francisco Nitti, the Premier, and the other candidates on his list in his province were elected almost unanimously in the election of Sunday for seats in the Chamber of Deputies.

Letts Advancing Against Troops of Avaloff-Bermond

Copenhagen, Nov. 18.—Lettish troops still are advancing along the entire front west of Riga against the forces of Col. Avaloff-Bermond and captured Shlok on November 14, reaching the Aa River at many points, according to a report received from the Lettish News Bureau at Riga. The dispatch states that fires and explosions have been observed in Mitau.

RADIUM TUBE WENT DOWN DRAINPIPE

Chicago, Nov. 18.—Henry Schmitz reported to-day that a tube of radium valued at \$12,000 had become unfastened in a bathtub at St. Mary's Hospital and disappeared down the drainpipe while being used in the treatment of a patient. The loss was protected by insurance.

Chicago Police to Work at Nights in Civilian Clothes

Chicago, Nov. 18.—No uniformed policemen will be seen on Chicago streets between 7 p. m. and 8 a. m., commencing some time within the next two weeks. The new move is one by Chief of Police Garrety in an effort to suppress crime. About 3,000 policemen and officers will don civilian clothes for night duty.

Disorder in Cairo Suppressed by Police; Two Persons Hurt

Cairo, Nov. 17.—via London, Nov. 18.—The recent nationalist disturbances here were followed to-day by further rioting, when demonstrators collided with the police. The officials used their revolvers, wounding two of the manifestants. The crowd later set the police station on fire. Within a short time, however, the disorders were suppressed.

VICTORIA INVESTED OVER SEVEN MILLIONS IN LOAN; UP-ISLAND CENTRE'S RECORD

With returns still incomplete, figures issued from Victory Loan headquarters at noon to-day showed that Greater Victoria's total investment in bonds was slightly over \$7,124,750, while that of up-island points amounted to \$1,555,200. The city's investment is thus \$3,924,750 over its \$3,200,000 quota, \$2,124,750 above her \$5,000,000 objective and \$812,000 in excess of her 1918 total. The investments made by up-island centres are \$727,200 above the district's \$828,000 combined quota, \$305,200 more than their combined objective, and \$99,800 in excess of their 1918 investment.

The following figures regarding the subscriptions of up-island points were issued this afternoon:

Units and Sub-Units	Total 1919	Amount Secured 1919	Quota 1919	Objective Won	No. Crests
Cobble Hill	\$44,100	\$42,800	\$14,000	\$36,000	8
Shawnigan	51,250		10,000		16
Duncan	230,800	269,750	120,000	180,000	3
Chemainus	76,000	132,100	68,000	102,000	16
Ladysmith	121,450	145,800	80,000	120,000	2
Nanaimo	550,000	516,350	360,000	540,000	2
Parksville		59,150	32,000	48,000	3
Parksville	17,450		10,000		1
Nanose	17,650		12,000		6
Qualicum	12,750		5,000		6
Central Alberni	5,350		5,000		5
Union Bay	27,150	32,200	12,000	18,000	5
Courtenay	138,150	77,500	44,000	66,000	8
Cumberland	94,450	93,500	44,000	66,000	4
Port Alberni	72,650	47,500	32,000	48,000	5
Cassidy	36,000	38,500	12,000	18,000	8
West Coast	60,000				
Totals	\$1,555,200	\$1,455,400	\$828,000	\$1,242,000	71

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Lady Jellicoe Gets News of Death of Mother in England

Vancouver, Nov. 18.—Lady Jellicoe, wife of Admiral Viscount Jellicoe, who is at present in this city en route to Ottawa, has received news of the death of her mother in England.

Vancouver, Nov. 18.—Deep sympathy is being extended to Lady Jellicoe, who received cabled information from England of the death of her mother.

Her appearance at many of the functions arranged in her honor will be necessarily curtailed.

TRAFFIC HELD UP.

Seattle, Nov. 18.—Word reached here to-day that the locomotive of an eastbound Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railroad train was capsized last night when it ran into a dirt slide two miles east of Corfu, Wash. Traffic on the main line was held up for hours.

POLAND AND OTHER STATES TO FORM MILITARY ALLIANCE

London, Nov. 18.—Representatives of Estonia, Latvia, Lithuania, Finland, Poland, the Ukraine and White Russia have declared in favor of the formation of a political and military alliance to defend the independence of those nations, according to advices received by Reuters. The Lettish Government will convene a conference to discuss the formation also of a postal, telegraph and railway union, it is said.

Berlin, Nov. 18.—Sergius Botkin, former Russian Ambassador to Rome and head of the Russian Embassy here in 1903, will soon arrive in Berlin as the authorized representative of Admiral Kolchak, according to a Russian news agency report. He will be accompanied, it is stated, by two attaches.

Soviet "Education."
London, Nov. 18.—A wireless dispatch from Moscow, says the Petro-

British Exchange at New Low Level in United States

New York, Nov. 18.—British, French and German exchange rates went to new low levels at the opening of the money market here to-day. Demand sterling fell to 4.96 1/2 to the pound, nearly two cents lower than yesterday. Francs were 3.85 to the dollar, a decline of seven centimes, while marks were quoted at \$0.215.

SIBERIANS NEED GOODS FROM CANADA

Ottawa, Nov. 18.—Canadian manufactured articles of all description are being sought by Siberia, says the weekly Bulletin of the Department of Trade and Commerce. The difficulty is the arrangement of terms of payment. It is understood that the Siberian Government has arranged for credit in the United Kingdom and the United States on the security of a gold deposit and is anxious to arrange security in Canada in the same manner.

MAY BE FREIGHT EMBARGO IN U. S.

Coal Situation is so Serious Action May Be Taken

15,000,000 Workmen May Be Thrown Out of Employment

Chicago, Nov. 18.—Director-General of Railroads Walter D. Hines and the seven Regional Directors will meet here late to-day to consider the necessity of declaring a nation-wide freight embargo to conserve the country's supply of coal. Mr. Hines is expected to arrive in Chicago at 2 p. m.

The conditions growing out of the present emergency were discussed this morning by the Regional Directors, who planned to have a definite programme ready to submit to Mr. Hines later in the day.

An embargo on all freight on the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railroad, between Chicago and the Pacific Coast, has been in effect since last Saturday. If Mr. Hines approves the recommendations of his Regional Directors, orders may be issued immediately which will mean: A nation-wide embargo on freight. A forty per cent. cut in passenger train service throughout the country. Closing down of all non-essential industries.

Fifteen million workmen will be thrown out of employment. "Extremely Serious." "The situation is extremely serious and immediate action is necessary," said R. H. Ashton, Director of the Northwestern Region, to-day. "The railroads are vital to the business life of the nation and they must be kept going. Radical action must be taken."

"My judgment is that a general embargo is the only way to meet the present emergency."

BOLSHEVIKI SAY GENERALS TAKEN

Claim They Captured Over 100 Kolchak Officers at Omsk

London, Nov. 18.—The Bolsheviks claim the capture of ten generals and more than 100 other officers at Omsk, according to an official statement issued to-day by the Soviet Government at Moscow. Kolchak's army is being pursued in an easterly direction, the statement adds.

The text of the communication follows: "Ten of Kolchak's generals and more than 100 other officers are among the prisoners at Omsk, where the defeated remnants of Kolchak's army are being driven eastward. We occupied a number of positions twenty miles to the eastward and captured enormous quantities of stores."

In the region of the Finnish Gulf we have taken Ostrov and also have occupied the lower reaches of the Luga."

Kolchak Leads

Vladivostok, Nov. 11.—Delayed—Admiral Kolchak, head of the all-Russian Government, has recalled General Dieckrich, Chief of Staff, to Omsk, and has announced he will take personal command of the armies at the front. Martial law has been declared in Omsk and Tomsk. In Trans-Baikalia all railwaymen have been conscripted and placed at the disposal of the Commander-in-Chief. (Concluded on page 15.)

Three Killed in Food Riot in Spain; Many Were Injured

Madrid, Nov. 18.—One woman and two policemen were killed when police interfered in a food demonstration at the village of Pecharin, near Caceres yesterday. Many persons were wounded, among them being a number of children.

COLLIERY STATISTICS REVEAL TONNAGE LOST FOR WANT OF MARKET

Hon. William Sloan, Minister of Mines, Fears Consequences of Embargo and Supplies Startling Figures on Lost Time

Unless the embargo now placed by the Federal authorities on the export of British Columbia coal is judiciously operated and utilized more in the nature of an agency to gather information the Hon. William Sloan, Minister of Mines for the Province, sees the possibility of injury resulting to the export business of Vancouver Island collieries. In offering this opinion to The Times representative this morning Mr. Sloan stated that when the question was mentioned to him more than a week ago he approached the operators of the Island and was assured by them that strike conditions affecting the industry in the United States would in no way endanger local supply. On that account he saw no reason for the necessity to impose anything more than a normal vigilance for the

200 Per Cent. on Shoes Some Dealers' Profits in Calgary

Calgary, Nov. 18.—Profits ranging from 60 per cent. up as high as 92 per cent., and in some cases soaring to 200 per cent. were found to have been made on shoes here, and in some cases on clothing, according to a summary of a report prepared by Major Duncan Stuart, agent of the Board of Commerce, who conducted an investigation in Calgary. He has completed his statement and is forwarding it to the Board of Commerce in Ottawa.

NEW YORK GREET PRINCE OF WALES

Freedom of City Conferred on Him; Cheered By Thousands

New York, Nov. 18.—The name of the Prince of Wales was added to-day to the long roll of famous and illustrious men who have been honored by New York with the freedom of the nation's metropolis. The Prince landed at the historic Battery, and drove to the City Hall amid cheering thousands who packed the sidewalks and filled every window in the skyscrapers of Lower Broadway.

At the City Hall he was welcomed to the city by Mayor Hylan, who conferred the freedom of New York upon the royal visitor, and by Secretary of State Hays, who presented him with a magnificent silk United States flag.

At Battery Park.

It was from a barge of the United States dreadnought Pennsylvania that the Prince stepped ashore at Battery Park, from where, after a brief exchange of greetings, he was driven to the City Hall.

Thousands of spectators were massed in the City Hall plaza.

MAYOR OF SPOKANE.

Spokane, Nov. 18.—In the reorganization of the City Council, which took place yesterday, C. A. Fleming was elected Mayor, to take office January 2 next.

LLOYD GEORGE'S STATEMENT ON RUSSIA IS CRITICIZED

London, Nov. 18.—Morning newspapers here expressed sharp disappointment at Mr. Lloyd George's statement in the House of Commons yesterday regarding Great Britain's policy toward Russia. The Times said it was almost ashamed to comment on the debate, "which went far to undermine the prestige of the British name in Eastern Europe."

The Telegraph said it awaited with misgiving the political consequences of a policy which meant an immediate accession to the prestige of the vilest tyranny in Europe.

The Morning Post said Mr. Lloyd George had announced in fact the defeat of the Allies in the East.

W. HOHENZOLLERN IS SAWING AGAIN

Cold Weather Interfered, But He Has Cut 12,000th Log

Amerongen, Nov. 17.—Via London, Nov. 18.—Countess Erbach, sister of the Queen Mother of Holland, who had been the guest of Wilhelm Hohenzollern, former Kaiser of Germany, returned to Germany to-day. Passenger train traffic between Germany and Holland, which was stopped two weeks ago, was resumed to-day and hundreds of persons crossed the frontier.

Hohenzollern was prevented by cold weather from sawing wood in his garden, but a special shed has been erected and Hohenzollern yesterday sawed his 12,000th log.



Wednesday Morning Special \$4.95

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FRENCH COAL SHORTAGE.

Paris, Nov. 12.—(Havas).—Because of the gravity of the coal situation, the Municipal Government requested the theatres to reduce illumination for the purpose of conserving fuel. Free distribution of fuel to persons maimed during the war has been begun.

NEW BRUNSWICK FARMERS.

Fredericton, N. B., Nov. 12.—Intent upon being ready when the ball for a Provincial election comes, the United Farmers' officers are hoping to have complete tickets in the field in every constituency with the possible exception of St. John City and Moncton City.

Y. W. C. A. WORKERS MEET IN HAMILTON

Mrs. Peters, of Vancouver, Elected Vice-President for British Columbia

Hamilton, Ont., Nov. 12.—"Teach girls' subjects. Teach the girls to live." This was the watchword of Miss Slattery, of New York, in an address she delivered yesterday at the triennial meeting of the Y.W.C.A. in Hamilton.

"Most girls' homes are only places to sleep," she said. "There is not a womanly thing about them. Every woman on a board of directors which builds a girls' home should go and live there for at least one month under exactly the same conditions as the girls will do."

The following officers were elected: President, Lady Falconer; Vice-presidents, Mrs. N. W. Rowell, Mrs. L. A. Hamilton and Mrs. R. W. Angus; treasurer, Miss Joan Harris; recording secretary, Miss J. E. McDonald; corresponding secretary, Mrs. A. Daly.

The provincial vice-presidents are: Mrs. Peters, Vancouver; Mrs. Bulyea, Edmonton; Saskatchewan, Mrs. Forsythe, Regina; Manitoba, Mrs. Edward Brown, Winnipeg; Ontario, Miss Grace Walker, Toronto; Quebec, Mrs. Frank Adams, Montreal; New Brunswick, Miss Gagnon, Rothesay; Nova Scotia, Mrs. D. Rogers, Amherst; Prince Edward Island, Mrs. R. H. Jenkins, Charlottetown.

TOTAL OF VICTORY LOAN \$673,199,790

Announced in Toronto Last Night; Drayton Congratulated Workers

Toronto, Nov. 12.—The grand total of the Victory Loan for the Dominion of Canada was announced here last night at \$673,199,790, made up as follows:

Ontario, \$354,624,500; Quebec, \$161,102,200; British Columbia, \$35,000,000; Alberta, \$16,181,000; Saskatchewan, \$20,000,000; Manitoba, \$40,450,000; New Brunswick, \$14,750,000; Nova Scotia, \$28,000,000; Prince Edward Island, \$3,000,000.

The city of Toronto's total was \$143,379,500, and the city of Montreal's, \$126,102,200.

Announcement of the Victory Loan returns from all sections of the Dominion was made at a gathering of almost 3,000 persons here last night. Sir Henry Drayton, Dominion Minister of Finance, was present, and announced the finish for the various provinces, the Dominion and Montreal.

"Every province in Canada has gone over its objective," Sir Henry stated, amid great enthusiasm.

"There were great Victory Loan workers everywhere in Canada," he said.

"In the West they have their own troubles. They have an unusually early winter, roads impassable and much grain unthreshed, yet they have done splendidly."

Congratulated Workers.

Sir Henry congratulated the Victory Loan workers of the whole Dominion.

"This is, after all," he said, "the final making good of Canada's pledges. This is indeed the final chapter of our war effort, and it is in keeping with the rest—perhaps the greatest chapters written in history."

The Finance Minister said people anti-Bolshevists big debt, but the debt was nothing compared with what had been done. People need have no fear of Canada's future, he said, and there was no occasion for pessimism.

Australia.

Ottawa, Nov. 12.—Peace loans are not so successfully raised in Australia as in Canada. Advice have been received here by the Department of Trade and Commerce that the £25,000,000 loan for repatriation purposes which Australia raised during the autumn falls short of the required amount by £5,000,000. An extension of fourteen days had been given to afford subscribers a further opportunity to make up the full amount. In Australia, in the event of failure on the part of the public to support a loan, compulsory subscription is resorted to under legislative authority.

Baltic States.

"The third case is the Baltic Provinces, where the Germans must be cleared out or the peace of Europe will be unsafe."

"Will any wise man advise us to undertake the terrible responsibility of restoring order in a country as large as Russia, where no country ever intervened without landing itself into disaster? I cannot undertake such responsibility."

But British Delegate Will

Talk Only of the Prisoners

London, Nov. 12.—In diplomatic circles here the view is held that it is evident the Bolsheviks are entering the negotiations at Dorpat regarding the exchange of prisoners with every intention of endeavoring to open peace negotiations with Great Britain. The composition of the delegation accompanying the Livinoff, former Soviet "Ambassador" to Great Britain, who heads the mission, is considered significant, as also is the fact that telegrams from the Bolshevik Government expressing deepest appreciation of the arrangements for the conference are couched in the most conciliatory terms.

James O'Brien, a Labor member of the House of Commons, representing Great Britain, has definite instructions not to enter into any negotiations except with relation to prisoners.

Czechs in Siberia.

Vladivostok, Nov. 12.—A memorandum bearing the Czechoslovak views on the Siberian situation was delivered to the Allied representatives to-day. It said:

"The unbearable conditions cause us to ask the Allies to consider a means of safe conduct to the motherland, which return the Allies have approved."

"The Czechs were prepared to guard the railroad sector allotted to them, and have conscientiously fulfilled the task, but now our presence along the Siberian Railroad for the purpose of guarding it becomes impossible by virtue of its uselessness, and also in consequence of the most primitive demands of justice and humanity."

Crimes.

"The military authorities of the Government of Omsk are permitting criminal actions that will stagger the world."

"Thus our passiveness appears as a direct consequence of the principles of neutrality and non-interference in Russian internal affairs, and we are becoming participants in these crimes as the result of our observing complete neutrality."

"We do not see any other way out than immediately to assist Czechoslovak soldiers to return to their motherland or involvement in them of the right of free action, that we may terminate lawlessness and crime wherever it is encountered."

DECLARES FOG ENVELOPES RUSSIA

Britain Cannot Increase Own Burden, Says Lloyd George

London, Nov. 12.—"In whichever direction we go we are marching into a fog," said Mr. Lloyd George in the Commons yesterday afternoon while speaking during the debate on Russia.

He referred to the operations of Admiral Kolchak, and emphasized the enormous distances and the difficulty of Britain helping Kolchak.

"There are countries," he declared, "in a much better position to help Kolchak than we. These powers are next door. They are in the alliance. He admitted that he considered as a politician them, but if there has been failure, it is not our failure."

Pointing out that nobody knew what Central Russia wanted; and that any attacks on Bolshevism carried beyond a certain point had failed, the Prime Minister declared that, with Great Britain's own burdens, it was quite impossible to go on financing civil war in Russia indefinitely.

First Concern.

"Our own country is our first concern," he said, "and there is no safer road to Bolshevism at home than financial bankruptcy. We have contributed more to the anti-Bolshevist elements in Russia than France, Japan and the United States put together. I boast of that because it was an obligation of honor for us." He admitted the accuracy of the French press report that France and Britain were in agreement to withhold further supplies from Russia, because, as he explained it, it was impossible to burden the French taxpayers.

Three Claims.

Dilating upon the almost insuperable difficulties of formulating a policy, when on one side there were anti-Bolshevists like Kolchak and Denikin fighting to rekindle and reunite powerful Russia, and on the other side border States, equally anti-Bolshevist, seeking their own independence and, therefore, the integration of Russia, the Prime Minister said:

"We are faced by three claims for intervention. The first and second are Russia and Armenia, and those opposing intervention in Russia advocate intervention in Armenia. Armenia is a good cause, and Britain is the one land able to restore a semblance of justice and good government there. But can we do all these things, considering our great burdens?"

Baltic States.

"The third case is the Baltic Provinces, where the Germans must be cleared out or the peace of Europe will be unsafe."

"Will any wise man advise us to undertake the terrible responsibility of restoring order in a country as large as Russia, where no country ever intervened without landing itself into disaster? I cannot undertake such responsibility."

He concluded by declaring that he did not fear Bolshevism in any well-governed land, but dreaded a wild adventure like a country where conditions were unknown and where nothing but catastrophe had awaited every Empire and every army that had ever invaded it."

Lord Robert Cecil.

Lord Robert Cecil declared that Bolshevism at its best was oppressive, franny, and at its worst bloody, brutal despotism. He said that it appeared impossible to crush Bolshevism by force, and that the Russian people only desired peace. He was convinced that foreign intervention was useless, and expressed the hope that General Denikin, the leader of the anti-Bolshevik forces in South-western Russia, and Admiral Kolchak, head of the All-Russian Government, would abandon the attempt to reach Moscow and endeavor to establish a stable Government in the territories already occupied. This, Lord Robert asserted, would have an overwhelming moral effect on the neighboring Bolshevik countries.

BREEZY DISCUSSION AT WOMEN'S MEETING

Duncan, Nov. 17.—At a meeting of the Cowichan Women's Institute a breezy discussion took place with regard to the power of the president to replace a delegate to the Vancouver Island Conference at the last moment. Miss Wilson, Mrs. Christmas, Mrs. Miller and Mrs. Whidden took part in the discussion.

The delegate chosen by the Institute reported a fortnight beforehand that she could not go as she could not pay her own expenses. At the last moment the president chose a substitute and promised that her expenses should be paid. This, several members held was irregular. The secretary explained that half this expense would come out of the Cowichan Library Fund.

By the constitution, financial matters are all arranged by the directors, but Miss Wilson strongly held that the directors owed the members detailed financial statements.

Mrs. Leather was in the chair in the absence of the president, Mrs. Blackwood-Wileman.

KENT HOUSE BOUGHT.

Quebec, Nov. 12.—The firm of Price Bros. & Company has purchased the Kent House, an historic property situated on St. Lawrence Street, opposite the Quebec Court House, for the purpose of erecting a large office building for the firm. The property was at one time the city residence of the Duke of Kent, Queen Victoria's father.

"WAS THE RIGHT THING FOR ME," FARMER SAYS

Gains Thirty-eight Pounds and Is Restored to Health by Taking Tanlac

"The best proof that Tanlac was the right thing for me is the way it has gotten me over my troubles and built me up," said John Rowe, a well-known farmer of Pilot Mound, Manitoba, while at Liggett's Drug Store in Winnipeg, recently.

Mr. Rowe was a member of Company A, 28th Infantry Battalion. He returned from France and received his discharge last January, after four years and four months in the world war, and went back to his former home and occupation at Pilot Mound. Continuing Mr. Rowe said:

"During the past nine months I have suffered beyond words to tell with my stomach and had fallen off on account of it. At the time I began taking Tanlac I only weighed one hundred and twenty-seven pounds, and you would hardly believe it when I tell you that I now balance the scales at one hundred and sixty-five—making an actual gain of thirty-eight pounds."

"My appetite had gone back on me entirely, and what little I did manage to eat would sour and blast me up until I was miserable. This gas would press on my heart and cause such awful spells of palpitation and shortness of breath that I could hardly stand it. For months I could eat no meats or very few vegetables, as such things were like poison to me, and I had to live mostly on cereals and the very lightest of things. If I ventured to eat meats or anything the least bit heavy I would almost double up with pains in the pit of my stomach. I suffered a great deal with headache and neuralgic pains through my temples and eyes. I was very nervous and between this and my other misery I was awake all hours of the night never getting any sound sleep. I was in such a bad shape that I often had to stop my plow or whatever I might be doing, and lay off for a day or two."

"Well, I just kept pegging along in this awful condition until I came here to the drug store a few weeks ago and bought myself some Tanlac. I had no idea at the time I would make a statement to be printed in the papers, but I have been helped so much that I want everybody to know what it did. I have an appetite like a bear, and can eat all kinds of meat, vegetables, or anything else I want and everything I eat agrees with me perfectly for I never have a pain or a sign of indigestion. I have gotten entirely rid of the headaches and nervousness, and sleep like a child every night. I never miss a day's work on my farm any more. In fact I am feeling as strong and well as I ever did in my life, and there's nothing too good to say for Tanlac."

Tanlac is sold in Victoria by D. E. Campbell, corner Fort and Douglas—Adv.

NEWFOUNDLAND HAS NEW GOVERNMENT

St. John's, Nfld., Nov. 17.—A new Ministry was sworn in to-day, headed by Richard Squire as Premier and Colonial Secretary. Mr. Squire is leader of the forces which successfully opposed the Government party in the recent election for the Newfoundland Legislature. His chief ally, W. M. Coaker, head of the Fishermen's Union, who represents the largest laboring element in the colony, was made Minister of Marine and Fisheries.

The other members of the Cabinet are William Warren, Minister of Justice; Henry Brownrigg, Minister of Finance; Walter Halford, Arthur Barnes, George Shea, Alexander Campbell and Samuel Foote, Ministers without portfolio.

New holders of portfolio outside the Cabinet are Wm. Jenkins, Public Works, and Wm. Cove, Shipping. The portfolio of Agriculture is still vacant.

It is expected that at the next session of the Legislature Ministries of Post Office and Education will be created, to be filled by two of the present Ministers without portfolio, and that the Ministry for Militia, created for the war will be suppressed.

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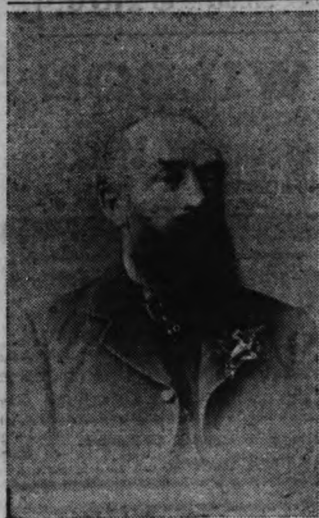
PIONEER ODDFELLOW

PASSES TO REST

Generations of Pupils at Central School Remember
W. H. Huxtable

An interesting link with the earliest days of public school education in Victoria has been severed by the death at an early hour this morning, of William Henry Huxtable, of 1205 Moss Street, who for forty-four years served in a janitorial capacity under successive education authorities in this city.

The late Mr. Huxtable was born in Devonshire, England, eighty-four years ago. In common with many another young Englishman of adventurous type, he was lured to British Columbia by the appeal of gold, but on arriving at Victoria in 1862, on his way to the diggings, the possibilities of life in this city so attracted him that he gave up his plans and settled in this city, to remain here until his death. In 1872, Mr. Huxtable was appointed school janitor in the log building which then stood on the site of the present Central School, and in this connection it is interesting to note that Magistrate George Jay, now a trustee, was among the pupils and treasures recollections of Mr. Huxtable's association with the school. In 1916 the



W. H. HUXTABLE

School Board, in recognition of his long and faithful service granted Mr. Huxtable a pension which enabled him to spend the evening of his life in modest comfort, placing him upon the payroll of the Board to rank as an engineer.

In addition to his long association with the schools, Mr. Huxtable had to his credit a record of devoted service with the volunteer fire brigade of the city's early days. Joining the brigade in 1868 he attended many of the big conflagrations which occurred during the growth of the city and was one of the last surviving members of Victoria's gallant band of fire fighters.

Mr. Huxtable was one of the pioneer members of the I. O. O. F. in British Columbia, and in November, 1917, was formerly presented with the fifty-year veteran's jewel, on behalf of Vancouver Encampment No. 7. For many years he was outside Guardian for the three subordinate lodges, the Encampment, the Canton, and the Rebekahs.

Although Mr. Huxtable had been an invalid for some time past, following upon a paralytic stroke two years ago, and in spite of his ripe old age, he retained an active interest in municipal affairs until two days ago, when he was seized with a bronchial affection to which he succumbed at three a. m. to-day.

He is survived by three sons and a daughter, all of Victoria: Robert, James and Alfred Huxtable and Miss Agnes Huxtable. The remains are reposing at the B. C. Funeral Chapel and funeral announcement will be made later.

TRADE DEVELOPMENTS
WITH CZECHO-SLOVAKIA

There is prospect of important trade developments between Canada and the new Republic of Czechoslovakia. A letter from the Board of Trade and Commerce of Prague to a Canadian firm of exporters advises that the new Republic must import flour, grain, condensed milk, fats, oils, preserved and canned food, metals and ores, technical and medicinal rubber goods, paints, varnishes, chemicals, drugs and medicines. The chief export of Czechoslovakia is sugar, then lumber, glass, china goods, notions, basket or wicker goods, lace and embroideries and various other articles formerly obtained from Austria.

The new Republic will contain the greater part of the industries of the Austrian Hungarian Empire, and will have a population of about 12,000,000. Czechoslovakia has import restrictions on several commodities. The list is being revised from week to week and exporters should see that the importer looks after this matter. The Canadian Trade Commission advises that there is no export restriction to Czechoslovakia except on the few commodities under license to all countries.

Next to-night, The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Army and Navy Veterans will hold a general meeting to-night at 8 o'clock in the Victoria Club, Campbell Building, when routine and other business will be discussed.

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ADDITIONAL SOURCES OF REVENUE WOULD AID CITY BY \$182,000 ANNUALLY

Alderman Sargent Submits Proposals for Further Municipal Revenue in View of Sitzings of Government Commission—Would Be of Substantial Benefit

A review of the financial position of the city was made last night by Alderman Sargent, chairman of the finance committee of the City Council. He dealt with the land tax situation and then said:

"As land has ceased to be able to pay the levies against it we have forced upon us the absolute necessity of looking to some other sources of revenue."

These other sources he gave are:

1. Revenue from motor licenses from all cars owned in the city.
2. Amusement taxes collected from theatres.
3. Fire insurance tax to be paid to the city as previously.
4. Educational grants from the Province should be the original per-
5. Rents from all underground or

centage of 55.55 of what the city pays for teachers' salaries. The percentage has been reduced to 32.

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other spaces in or on the streets of the city used for business purposes.

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Better Income Tax System.

To make up for the loss in Provincial revenue that these changes would incur, Alderman Sargent urged that the Government should inaugurate a better income tax system.

"The Provincial system of income tax should be applied more generally and a better system of collection adopted as the Government loses a great deal because of the imperfect system of collection," he said. "With that a good portion of the proceeds

from within the city should come to the city treasury."

These proposals are embodied in a report from the finance committee of the city and endorsed by the City Council last night. The report will be presented at the end of this week to the Hon. John Hart, Minister of Finance, at the municipal revenue conference at the Parliament Buildings.

"Up until four or six years ago, the fire insurance taxes did come to the city," the alderman continued. "This was the practice way back to Confederation."

Estimates Possible Income. "Supposing the educational grant this year was on the same ratio as when it was inaugurated we would



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receive this year \$136,000 instead of \$81,000."

He estimated the income from motor licenses to the city would be \$30,000, from the amusement tax \$37,000, fire insurance tax \$30,000 and increase in the Government school grant \$55,000. The expansion of the license by-law he estimated would mean additional revenue of \$50,000 a year.

"These new sources would bring to the city about \$182,000 a year, which would have the effect of reducing the rate this year by four mills, from 26 to 22 mills," he continued.

Not Responsible For Increase.

"From the spaces over and under the streets judging by the experience of other cities, the revenue would be quite considerable."

Dealing with the increase in taxes this year as against last year, Alderman Sargent said:

"The City Council is practically not responsible for any increase of taxes this year. A very great part of the levy of the city is uncontrolled as far as this council is concerned. Out of \$1,237,600 levied for, \$941,760 is quite beyond the control of the City Council."

School Rates Chief Cause.

"One item that affects our levy materially is that for education. The grand total levied for in 1919 is \$485,047. The amount levied in 1918 more than 1918 for schools is \$67,324, or within \$17,822 of the whole increase. "The total rates in 1919 are 26.85 mills. In 1918 it was 25 mills, an increase of 1.85 mills. The rate for schools in 1919 is 7.65 mills. In 1918 it was 6.30 mills, an increase of 1.35 mills, or within 40 per cent. of the increase of rates this year over last year."

That Penalty Clause.

The recommendations to go before the Government also deal with the collection of arrears of taxes and the 15 per cent. penalty clause, which comes into effect against unpaid taxes on November 29.

The report says:

"There was, at the beginning of the present year, owing to the city arrears of taxes on lands, including those sold for taxes during the year, a total of \$2,510,387.10, such accumulation being due to a number of circumstances, the chief of which has been the cessation of tax sales during the war and the inability of the land, in the judgment of the owners, to pay the levies made by the city."

"This brief comment on the above item of accumulated arrears of taxes brings out, in your committee's opinion, two important phases of Victoria city finances at the present moment, viz: "Collection of arrears of taxes."

"Relief of land burdens or increased sources of revenue."

Urges Instalment Plan.

"After careful deliberation, your committee has decided, with respect to the subjects outlined above, to recommend as follows:

"Regarding the collection of arrears of taxes, that legislation further amending the City's Relief Act should be secured, permitting the operation of the ten-year instalment system to be extended to the 15th of September, 1920, same to apply to taxes in arrears up to December 31 of the present year, and that the interest on future payments under this plan should be reduced to six per cent., this reduction in interest to apply to adjustments that have already been made as well as those to be made under the legislation sought for."

Interest Reduction.

"This will make it possible for persons in arrears to pay their arrears in ten instalments." Alderman Sargent explained. "Future interest payments would be reduced to six per cent. instead of seven per cent."

"The finance committee thinks that every person owning land in the city who is in arrears of taxes, we could induce to take up the payment of arrears as good business both to the owner and the city. The tax sale last summer revealed the unfortunate condition of land with respect to taxes at the present time. Practically ninety-five per cent. of the lands offered were taken over by the city. With respect to those arrears people would be offered the privilege of coming under the extended plan of payment and the interest be reduced to six per cent."

"The fifteen per cent. penalty clause will be added to unpaid taxes beginning December."

Alderman Fought Penalty.

"It has been made to appear in the press that that clause is the result of the action of this Council. This Council not only has not had anything to do with that, but we were not consulted when the legislation was passed to bring it into effect. It is an agency put in there for collection that has never appealed to me."

"I claim that the rebate we had last year is a bad system and so is the penalty. The penalty system is the same as the rebate, except that it gives the ratepayer a better idea of where his money goes."

Advocates Annual Tax Sale. "The better system is the annual tax sale and the addition of interest. The annual tax sale will clear up and keep clear arrears of taxes."

"The City Council not only did not know about the legislation when it was brought in, but it instructed its delegates to the convention of B. C. Municipalities at North Vancouver to work for the reduction of ouiver to work for the reduction of that penalty rate to eight per cent. Some members there contended for wiping it out altogether. A compromise was made on a reduction to eight per cent."

"But while the delegates were defeated in asking to have the reduced, public opinion is being so centred on it to-day, that when the Legislature meets this penalty will be reduced or wiped out altogether."

Who Pays the Loss?

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their taxes will have to make up the 1 per cent," he continued. "Seven per cent is a fair rate for the city to carry taxes. The man who pays his taxes should not be mulcted for that difference." He referred to the cost of administration, which would take 1 per cent. and that a 6 per cent. rate would induce people to let their taxes go as they could not borrow money as cheaply anywhere.

Alderman Sargent said that under the proposal there would be no deficit as this whole scheme was an endeavor to have no deficit.

"I don't believe in this reduction," replied Alderman Andros. "Why?"

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To Hold Dance—The Native Sons of British Columbia Post No. 1, will hold an informal dance at the Alexandra Club on Friday night, commencing at 9 o'clock. Watson, orchestra will attend. Arrangements are now under way for the big annual ball to be held on New Year's night.

Investigate Proposed Building—Whether the city can allow the Ramsay Machine Works to build an addition to its plant on Store Street is to be investigated by the Building Inspector and City Chief. The addition, Noel Barker of the company explained for the alderman last night, is to be of corrugated galvanized iron on a concrete foundation. James Barf, building inspector, however, said that the proposed structure was really only a frame structure. When the alderman learned that this was the sort of building proposed within the fire limits they decided the permit could not be granted without permission.

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For Christmas Cheer—The Ladies' Guild of the Navy League of Victoria is at present busily engaged in preparing boxes of Christmas cheer to be sent to the various lighthouses, and many cases of good things will be handed over to the Marine and Fisheries Department by Thursday of this week, the department undertaking to make delivery of the gifts.

Protest Business Tax—The business license tax of \$50 for six months is not fair to jobbing firms doing a limited business, the C. Leather & Findings Co. informed the City Council last night. The company urged that the tax should be proportionate to the amount of business done. "The City Council has no other alternative," said Alderman Johns. "These people have our sympathy, but we can only treat them all alike."

Naval Volunteers Are Active—The Royal Naval Canadian Volunteer Reserve is becoming a very active force. It drills every Tuesday and Friday evenings from 8 o'clock until 10 o'clock and is being largely attended. The reserve is anxious to further augment its membership, and the officials announce that any physically fit men between the ages of seventeen and forty-two are qualified for membership.

Pick Score For Meeting—To devise the best means of bringing proportional representation into effect, the City Council last night gave permission to William Marchant to hold a select meeting of some twenty persons in the Council Chamber of the City Hall next Friday night. Mr. Marchant informed the aldermen that the meeting would not be a popular gathering but composed of only a score of picked men who are active in the public life of the community.

Big Day for Naval Lads—On Saturday afternoon the Boys' Naval Brigade will go on a visit to H.M.S. New Zealand in Esquimalt Harbor and receive instruction. The boys are looking forward with great interest to this treat. In future they are to receive instruction on H.M.C.S. Rainbow. The boys this afternoon are visiting the Y.M.C.A. to participate in the gymnasium classes. The brigade is now looking for a qualified drummer and a qualified bugler.

Urged Aldermen to Inform Themselves—Aldermen last night at the City Council meeting urged one another to be sure to attend the sessions next Thursday and Friday of the commission inaugurated by the Hon. John Hart, Minister of Finance, to inquire into sources of municipal revenue. "Every alderman should inform himself of the situation and put in an appearance," said Alderman Sargent, chairman of the finance committee.

Ask About Increased Telegraph Tolls—To find out whether Victoria is satisfied with increased telegraph tolls, the Board of Railway Commissioners are to hold a session here at the City Hall at 10 o'clock next Monday morning. The City Council has been informed. The aldermen last night decided that they had nothing formal to bring before this body "unless we run foul of the C. P. R. on the bridge," said Alderman Sargent. Several other matters will be before the Commissioners.

Ormonds Limited Re-Open Plant—Following the arrival of a shipment of fifty tons of Chinese sugar, Ormonds Limited, confectioners, re-opened their plant this morning. When the sugar shortage became acute last September the plant was forced to shut down. The management immediately looked for a supply from foreign sources and finally made a successful bargain with a Chinese refinery. This shipment will enable Ormonds to turn out sufficient goods for the Christmas trade.

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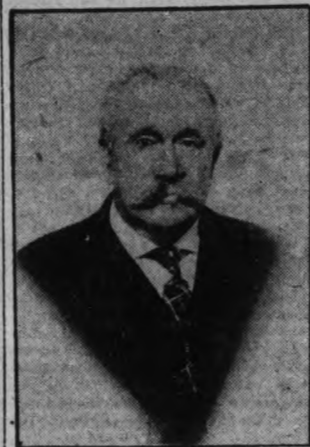
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WELL-KNOWN CITIZEN DIED YESTERDAY

Late P. A. Babington Was for Thirty Years With Local Mill

Old-time residents of the city will learn with regret of the death of Panmure Albert Alexander Babington, of 1135 McClure Street, who died last night at St. Joseph's Hospital, aged sixty-eight years.



P. A. BABINGTON

six years. When the property was bought out by Mr. Sayward, he transferred to the new property as manager, continuing in office for seven years. For two years after the mill was acquired by the Michigan Puget Sound mill, he continued in office. Side by side with his lumber interests Mr. Babington was associated for years with the sealing industry as schooner owner. He retired from commercial activities some years ago, but retained his active interest in Lodge No. 4, I. O. O. F., of which he had been treasurer for the past forty years.

Mr. Babington leaves to mourn his loss his widow, one son, P. A. Babington and one daughter, Miss V. J. F. Babington of this city. The remains will repose at the B. C. Funeral Chapel until to-morrow when they will be conveyed to the family residence. Funeral will be held from the residence on Thursday at 2.30 o'clock, proceeding to St. Barnabas Church, where Rev. N. E. Smith will officiate. Interment will be made in the family plot at Ross Bay Cemetery.

Trousers Costly, Suggests Police Kites—When aldermen last night opened tenders for tailors for making trousers for the police and found that the prices ran from \$17 to \$22 a pair, one of the aldermen to dress the policemen in kites. Mayor Porter, however, was sceptical of the plan and, anyway, feared that the price of kites would be even higher. The Police Commissioners and the Purchasing Agent will report on the trouser tenders.

Daisy Chain Chapter's Tea—Mrs. Robert Earl, Mrs. Harry Briggs and Mrs. Duncan Campbell will render vocal selections, and Miss Long will officiate as accompanist at the silver tea and sale of work to be held to-morrow afternoon at the home of Mrs. Stuart Robertson, Belmont Avenue. The event is being arranged by the girls of the Daisy Chain Chapter, I. O. D. E., and the funds will be used for the carrying on of their work.

Army and Navy "Get-Together"—On Thursday evening in the St. John's Hall, Herald Street, the Army and Navy Veterans will hold a "get-together" entertainment. A military five hundred tournament will be held from 8.30 o'clock until 10 o'clock, after which dancing will commence. The committee announces that the accommodation is limited and that the first to come will be the ones to get places at the tables. Excellent prizes are being offered for the winners in the card tournament. One of the prizes will be half a ton of coal and another a pair of lady's boots. The price of admission will be 35c.

"Resthaven" Closed—On Saturday last Resthaven Military Hospital was closed after two years of usefulness, during which many hundreds of returned soldier patients have passed through its portals. The greater number of the patients have been discharged and the remainder transferred to Esquimalt or to the Soldiers' Civil Re-establishment for continued treatment at Craigdarroch. Esquimalt, the only remaining convalescent hospital in M. D. No. 11, has now 133 patients, while Craigdarroch has had to increase its accommodation in order to provide for the seventy patients now receiving treatment there.

ADDITIONAL SOURCES OF REVENUE WOULD AID CITY BY \$182,000

(Continued from page 8.)

It not brought up at the beginning of the year instead of being kept off until the end of the year?"

Blames the Press. Alderman Fullerton commended the suggestions of the finance committee. "I am sorry that the press doesn't try to put the Council in the proper light," he went on. "I am glad that Alderman Sargent has made it plain that the aldermen are not responsible for the 15 per cent. penalty."

Mayor Porter also commended the plan. "I am hopeful we will get something but we will never get it unless we fight for it," he said. "I want to remind you that just before the committee went to North Vancouver we had a meeting in my office and one of the items we decided to oppose was the 15 per cent. penalty clause. When the report came out, one paper was not fair enough to print it. I don't take seriously what the press says about this. The newspapers were not fair enough to make mention of the committee's report when they came back."

The recommendations of the Council to the Victoria delegation were published in The Daily Times of October 4. Later full reports of the efforts of the Victoria delegates at North Vancouver were printed day by day from The Times special correspondent.

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According to a recent Order-in-Council issued from Ottawa, a time limit has been set for applications for Vocational re-training. The Order states "Limiting time for application for re-training courses three months from November 1, 1919 or discharge whichever is later." The officials of the Department S. C. R. wish this fact to become known to all returned men, who may be eligible for a course. Registration forms have been provided and all who suffer from a disability which prevents them following their former occupation should obtain and fill in a form; these may be obtained at any S. C. R. Representatives office, either personally or through the mail. On completion, the form should be mailed to the Department S. C. R., Vancouver.

Any ex-member of the Forces who is now at work, but who has a disability should register and thus protect his interests. The fact that a man registers does not mean that he is compelled to take a course at once. He may continue at his present position within the time mentioned.

The Order-in-Council also covers the case of those men who enlisted prior to attaining their 18th birthday, and they also must register with in the period before stated.

The Department wish to emphasize the fact that registration does not mean that a course must be started immediately; if at a later date an ex-member finds that his disability prevents him from carrying on and he is eligible for Vocational training, he may make application for the course, however, he must have registered with the Vocational Branch, Dept. S. C. R., before January 31, 1920 or three months after discharge. Those who enlisted under eighteen are also governed by this ruling.

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FEW CHANGES ARE
MADE IN LINE-UP

(By A. P. Garvey)

Vancouver, B. C., Nov. 18.—Another month, December 18 to be exact, the vanguard of Pacific Coast professional puckchases will don the practice of the first official practice of the season, Frank A. Patrick, president of the coast circuit, announced to-day. Already some of the players who will figure on coast line-ups are working out at the Vancouver and Victoria rinks, but the complete squads will not get into training until next month, just about ten days before the lid is tilted on the championship series. Rosters of the various clubs are not yet complete but the rival managers are slowly gathering their prize puckchases into the fold and expect to have all hands signed up before the annual meeting of the P. C. H. A. which will be held in Vancouver next Friday. At this meeting the Moguls will get busy on schedule making plans and set the house in order for the ninth championship race on the coast loop. Only the opening matches will be provided for at next week's meeting, President Patrick stated to-day, the complete schedule being held until definite word is received from the east concerning the world's series fixtures. But it is definitely announced that the matches will be played on Mondays in Vancouver, Wednesdays in Seattle and Fridays in Victoria, the same as in the past and there will be three games each week. The season will run into the first or second week in March in order to permit of the play-off and give the coast winners a chance to jump east in time for the Stanley Cup fixtures.

Few Changes.

It is not expected that there will be many changes in the line-ups for the coming season. At this date the clubs are practically sure of all of their regulars and there may be a few new faces but at this time the rosters include the following men:
Vancouver: Hugh Lehman, Lloyd Cook, Alf Skinner, Bill Adams, Jack Adams.
Victoria: Lester Patrick, Heck Fowler, Moose Johnson, Eddie Oatman, Clem Loughlin, Bobby Genge, Dubbie Kerr, Will Loughlin.
Seattle: Harry Holmes, Bobby Rowe, Frank Foyston, Jack Walker.

To the Vancouver list will soon be added the name of "Cyclone" Taylor, the five-time scoring champion of the P. C. H. A. Taylor, Frank Patrick informs us, never signs a contract but once he consents to play he carries out his arrangements just as if his John Hancock was scrawled on an official document. The veteran, who has thrived coast fans for many years past, is reported to be in first class condition, having played lawn tennis all season, while propelling a bicycle to and from work in

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SPORTING NEWS

another form of preparedness for the Cyclone person. Duncan is another player who will probably be doing duty again with the Millionaires and his contract is expected any day.

"Don't Worry," says Pete. Seattle fans may be assured that the Mets will have another great puckchasing squad in this season's series, Pete Muldoon, the hustling boss of the Sound City club, informed us a couple of days ago. Muldoon is still here closing up his private business interests preparatory to going to Seattle to take up the managerial reins. He states that but four men have signed contracts but he has the others practically lined up and expects to be able to give the fans in the Sound City a line on the club within a few days. He is more optimistic over his club's chances of coping another championship than he has been in any other season. "Don't worry about Seattle," he advised the other day. "I have got the men I am after and we're going to be right up to our necks in the fight this season. I like the looks of the other teams but they will have to show more to head off the Mets." Foyston, Walker, Holmes and Rowe are the four players whom Muldoon has signed. He is still negotiating with Jim Riley while he has strings out for two other good men.

The Pacific Coast League will this season boast the three greatest goalkeepers in the game. Heck Fowler has signed with Victoria, Harry Holmes will return to Seattle, while Hugh Lehman has notified Patrick that he will again play for Vancouver. They rank as the best goalkeepers in any part of the country and coast fans will be again treated to some spectacular work around the nets.

While no official announcement is yet forthcoming, it is expected that Mickey Ion will again be referee-in-chief. He is back from his tour of the East and looks fit for another strenuous season. Ion set a record refereeing last year when he handled every coast league fixture, officiated in a Vancouver-Ottawa match and was at the helm in every world's series clash between Seattle and Los Angeles. This is a record that promises to stand for all time.

Waiting on Nationals.

Pacific Coast magnates are still awaiting word from the East concerning the plans of the National Hockey League. President Frank Calder of that organization promised to let the Coasters know at an early date just what was doing but so far President Patrick is without word. The Easterners plan a four-town circuit, starting play right after Christmas but as yet no steps have been taken to organize. Several players who starred in the Ontario Hockey Association, an amateur organization, last year, are available for professional companies this season. Recently the O. H. A. decided that there was altogether too much suggestion of semi-professionalism in the Eastern amateur ranks and after rigid investigation decided to revoke the certificates of several players. They must now jump to the professional ranks or quit the game.

The Coasters are unfortunately cannot bid for their services as the agreement between the N. H. L. and P. C. H. A. provides that all players resident East of the Great Lakes belong to the N. H. L. and that body has prior claim to their services. Two of the players no longer considered good amateurs by the Ontario body are McCarthy and Rosch, formerly of New York. They played with Hamilton last season. When the Coasters were badly hit by the "flu," President Patrick tried to get them out this way but it is alleged that they replied that the Eastern offers were better than the Coasters could make and turned down the propositions. This may serve to give some idea of what the O. H. L. permitted in the past but this season these players along with several Toronto men have been turned out into the cold, cold world.

BILLIARD LEAGUE.

Results in the Two Jacks' Billiard League games last night were as follows:

Robinson (capt.), absent, vs. Hinson, postponed; Spencer, 137; E. Petch, 250; Ramsay, 215; McIlmoyl, 250; Etchell, 223; Stewart, 250; Henderson vs. Martin, postponed.
E. Petch made a fine break of 63. In the handicap tournament Hiberson (6100) beat Hinson (6150) by 29 points after a fine struggle, high breaks being 58 by Hinson and 38 by Hiberson. Hiberson will now play the winner of Martin vs. Crestman to decide fifth and sixth places in the tournament.

On Thursday at 7.30 in the league tournament Hindle (capt.), Patton, J. Petch, Smith, Creedon and Hall play Sale (capt.), Harper, Holmand, Patterson, Lees and Taylor.

LOOKING THINGS OVER

A Capable Leader.

Rugby men were generally delighted with the showing of G. C. Grant in Saturday's game against the Island fifteen, in view of the fact that upon G. C. will rest the responsibility of leading the Victoria representative side against Vancouver. There are many who think that Grant is playing better football than he did at any other time of his career. His drop goals from near the half way line were among the outstanding features of a game in which an excellent brand of rugby was shown. He used his headwork all the way and was responsible for a lot of movements which helped the Wanderers to put it over. He has both the grey matter and the playing ability that a representative captain needs.

A Major Sport.

The possibilities of golf being recognized at Stanford University and the University of California as a major sport and as such, an athletic activity which will produce graduating credits, is again being discussed at both of those institutions as the result of a challenge issued by Berkeley to Stanford recently for a championship tournament between teams from both universities.

Hockey Rugby
Billiards Boxing

LEONARD K. O.'S DUFFY IN SECOND

Langford Also Wins by
Knockout; Other
Bouts

Tulso, Okla., Nov. 17.—Benny Leonard, of New York, lightweight champion of the world, knocked out Jimmy Duffy, of Lockport, N. Y., here last night in the second round.

After about a minute of the first round Leonard pulled away from Duffy, sending over a right cross, Duffy taking the count of eighty. Duffy was sent to the floor three times, the round ending with Duffy hanging to Leonard. After 35 seconds in the second, Duffy went down, staying for the count of eight. Leonard sent over a left jab and Duffy went down. After the referee counted three, he stopped the bout.

Philadelphia, Nov. 18.—"Bill" Brennan, Chicago heavyweight, outclassed Andy Schmader, of Omaha, to such a degree in their scheduled six-round bout last night that the referee stopped it in the fourth round.

Montreal, Nov. 18.—Battling Levinsky, of New York, outfought Bartley Madden, of Omaha, in a ten-round bout last night. Madden substitute for Eugene Broseaux, Canadian middleweight champion, who is ill.

Sioux City, Ia., Nov. 18.—Sam Langford, the Boston "tar baby," knocked out Battling Jim Johnson, of Chicago, in the ninth round of a scheduled ten-round fight here last night.

ZBYSKO CHALLENGES OUTLAWED MAT MAN

Hugh Pole Who Was Prisoner
in Germany Will Soon Be
in New York

New York, Nov. 18.—One of the first great athletes to be released from a German war prison—Stanislaus Zbysko, strongest of European wrestlers—will sail for this country shortly from Copenhagen. The huge Zbysko, captured early in the war by the Germans, and imprisoned four years in a prison camp, claims to have entirely recovered his health and strength since his release. He suffered considerably from the shortage of rations—Zbysko eats as much as five ordinary mortals—but he has devastated Poland and Denmark since his release, is back to his normal bulk, and declares he is in grand condition.

Zbysko cabled ahead that he would cheerfully meet Martin Plesztina, the big Czech who is outlawed by the American wrestling trust, and that he considers Plesztina superior to any wrestler developed since Frank Gotch. "If I had tried a thousand times," writes the Polish champion to a Chicago friend, "I could never have beaten Gotch—he was the best that ever lived."

Zbysko—university man, attorney, Polish soldier, and champion wrestler—is a strange, romantic character. He is noted for his sense of fair play, which impels him to give first chance to Plesztina, barred by the wrestling trust simply because he won't become one of their stall fed champions, winning or losing according to orders.

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position of treasurer of the local union through business reasons, and also that of trustee of the union funds Hebbden Gillespie was appointed to the trusteeship. A treasurer will be appointed later.

THE MULOCK CUP.

Toronto, Nov. 17.—That coveted and premier of trophies in inter-faculty

athletic circles at the University of Toronto, the Mulock Cup, was captured to-day at Varsity Stadium by Juniors Medicals, who defeated Ontarios Agricultural College, of Guelph, in the sudden-death final by the score of 11 to 7.

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(Additional Sport on Page 11.)

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(Part of an Editorial in Collier's)

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at the Theatre

DOMINION

Threatening to choke his baby boy to death, Bruce Corbin, husband of Ruth Pomeroy, returns home from a year's absence in South America, in "The Thunderbolt," starring Katherine MacDonald and which will be seen all week at the Dominion theatre.

Corbin is enraged at finding a child in his home because he realizes that this means the continuation of the Pomeroy family which he sought to wipe out of existence through his marriage to Ruth Pomeroy, the last member of a family which he has hated as the result of a feud originating several generations back.

As Ruth Pomeroy, Miss MacDonald has one of the choicest roles of her screen career. She depicts the part of a woman bonded into a loveless marriage to save the reputation of her father who unfortunately placed himself in the hands of his most bitter enemy through a series of illegal transactions.

How the courage of Miss MacDonald, as Ruth Pomeroy, ends a feud of long standing and turns a "spite" marriage into an epoch of wedded bliss is declared by the management of the Dominion theatre to be one of the most interesting attractions to be seen on that screen in many months.

COLUMBIA

"The Parisian Tigress," the latest Metro play in which Viola Dana, the clever little star, appears, was shown yesterday to a large and appreciative audience at the Columbia. The play is a powerful romance of the Parisian underworld and Miss Dana is seen in the role of Jeanne, a dancer in the cafes of the Latin Quarter, who lives in constant fear of a young Apache with whom she bargains for her with Jacques. To

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Comedy, CHESTER CONKLIN

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AMUSEMENTS TO-DAY

Pantages-Vaudeville.

Dominion—Katherine MacDonald in "The Thunderbolt."

Royal Victoria—Theda Bara in "Cleopatra."

Variety—Mitchell Lewis in "Nine-Tenths of the Law."

Columbia—Viola Dana in "The Parisian Tigress," and serial, "The Iron Test," starring Antonio Moreno and Carol Holloway.

Romano—Harry Carey in "A Fight for Love."

escape this new horror she runs away, only to find herself in the clutches of a scheming artist, who uses her as the means to defraud his friend. The character of the play has a sinister touch which is cleverly lightened by a delightful bit of original comedy and also by a beautiful romance which comes into the life of the little girl of the gutter. The many strong situations make the play one which stands out as an arresting achievement in screen artistry.

"CLEOPATRA" SHOWS SCENES SHAKESPEARE COULD ONLY DREAM OF

Presents With Marvelous Realism Love Story That Changed History

Ever since Shakespeare immortalized the story of Antony and Cleopatra, dramatists, novelists and poets have been inspired by the same theme, while actors from the times of Elizabeth onward have striven to re-create, on the stages of theatres in many lands the Egypt of the Ptolemies, and the Italy of the Caesars. Even Shakespeare, though he could re-create the characters of that by-gone age and dream himself of their surroundings, could not clothe the bare boards of the Globe Theatre in any of the dazzling brilliance that was Alexandria, or the towering majesty that was Rome. It has remained for the moving picture to re-create these things, to recall them in "Cleopatra," now showing at the Royal Victoria Theatre, in a manner that almost staggers the imagination. Not since D. W. Griffith's great monument in the dramatic world, "Intolerance," has anything equalling the tumultuous scenes, the wonder of truthful detail, the adherence to historical facts, been given to the world.

The photoplay "Cleopatra" is in every particular worthy of a theme that inspired the greatest poet, and it is produced in a way that he would have appreciated more than all other men. It takes its beholder back to the days when the first Caesar had managed to dominate the civilized world; it shows the conquering Roman conquered by the extraordinary woman who ruled Egypt; the assassination of the mighty Julius at the Capitol; the rise of Anthony after the war with Brutus and his fellow conspirators; Anthony's rude command to Cleopatra to appear before him and do homage to Rome; his inability to resist her charms, and finally his decision to abandon his future in Rome and to live an Oriental ruler, with the beautiful Egyptian, in Alexandria; the resulting civil war with Octavius, the nephew of Julius, and the future ruler of an empire greater than his uncle's; the terrible naval battle of the Actium, and the defeat of Anthony's fleet; the storming of Alexandria by the overwhelming Roman army; the death of Anthony and the triumph of the new Caesar over the conquered queen, and last of all, the climax of the great drama, which changes the history of the world.—Cleopatra's escape from the Romans by the only path left her—death.

There is no attempt to avoid the most spectacular of these scenes. Everything from the great Senate Chamber at Rome to the astrologer's tower in Cleopatra's palace is shown—the fickle Roman mob which cheered the assassins and then turned as suddenly against them, the fierce battle between the opposing fleets, which, re-created perfect in every detail, are burned to the water's edge; the rush of the invaders into Alexandria and the carnage about the city's walls. Everything is produced regardless of cost, regardless of anything except the results desired. And certainly, on looking at the picture, the most captious critic finds nothing that he can suggest, not one detail in the dress, the build-

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Underlying these historical events is a plot which takes the spectator into the gorgeous chambers of Cleopatra's palace, into the dark inner recesses of the Pyramid of Cheops, into the tomb of the last Pharaoh—a story whose every detail makes the picture one of the greatest landmarks in the history of the drama.

HIGH CLASS MUSICAL NUMBER HEADS BILL

The "Beatrice Morelle Sextette" Takes Popular Fancy in Pantages Vaudeville

Patrons of Pantages vaudeville will be hugely delighted with the musical accomplishments of "The Beatrice Morelle Sextette" probably the most attractive offering this week at the Government Street playhouse. The sextette of young women comprising the act present a charming repertoire of musical and vocal numbers, the execution and rendition of which was on a high plane and won for the talented performers a large share of appreciative applause. Unusual ability was displayed by the musicians and soloists who contributed to a very high class vaudeville performance. Three of the company are vocalists while the others are clever exponents on the harp, violin, and piano.

"The Oklahoma Four" made an instantaneous hit with their cyclonic exhibition of dancing. As indicated by the title the act savors of the plains and altogether is a breezy exhibition of clever footwork. Some excellent step-dancing is uncovered by the two women and their male partners.

Gene Mason and Fay Cole are versatile vaudeville artists who provide an entertaining quarter of an hour with a comedy, singing and dancing act entitled "Just for a Kiss." Gene and Fay are successful in their efforts to amuse.

"The Four Casting Campbells" hold the attention with a sensational aerial act which must be stamped as one of the finest athletic turns that has been to the coast in many months. There is plenty of comedy to relieve the tension of the sensational stunts.

The Three Alexanders are ball manipulators who bounce ordinary tennis balls about the stage in a bewildering manner.

Jessie Maker and Billy Redford score with a comedy skit programmed as "The Girl and the Gob." Miss Maker is a musical comedy favorite, and Billy Redford draws a lot of his satirical material from the American navy in which he served during the war. Arthur Barrett is a clever whistler and puts over an amusing monologue. "The Carter Case," the scientific plot now being unfolded on the Pantages screen, continues to hold interest.

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"We do not charge the present council with apathy regarding amateur sport," says Hardy Boyd, secretary of the local board of the A.A.U., in again calling attention to the meeting of sportsmen to be held at the K. of C. Hut to-morrow night, at which it is expected names will be chosen for nomination as sporting candidates to run for the alderman board on a sporting ticket. "What we believe is that they do not realize the demands and need of amateur sport."

"We want anyone interested in amateur sport to be present at this meeting, as it is most essential that the men selected should be men capable of the office, as to nominate a man without the confidence of the sporting public would be the greatest harm we could do for the cause." There are many things Boyd declares that could be accomplished for amateur sport with an enthusiast taking part in the deliberations of the city fathers.

The Victoria and District Cricket Association, who were the first in the field to announce their intentions, are

working hard to secure a representative attendance at the meeting to-morrow. The energetic secretary, W. A. Tucker, has sent out a sheet of letters to sporting organizations in the city. "In case any are overlooked," says Percy Payne, the cricket club's president, "we do not want them to think that they are not desired at the meeting. We want the gathering as representative as possible."

TUXIS BOYS' BASKETBALL

Wednesday, November 19.—6.45 p. m., Centennial vs. Ref. Episcopal; 7.20 p. m., Metropolitan vs. Hi Y II.

Friday, November 21.—7.15 p. m., Rustlers vs. Hustlers.

Saturday, November 22.—6.50 p. m., Hi Y vs. First Presbyterian.

Wednesday, November 26.—6.45 p. m., Ref. Episcopal vs. Metropolitan; 7.20 p. m., Hi Y vs. Rustlers.

Friday, November 28.—7.15 p. m., Hustlers vs. First Presbyterian.

Saturday, November 29.—6.50 p. m., Metropolitan vs. Centennial; 7.20 p. m., Rustlers vs. First Presbyterian.

Friday, December 5.—7.15 p. m., Hustlers vs. Hi Y.

Saturday, December 6.—6.50 p. m., Ref. Episcopal vs. Hi Y II. After December 6 the fixture list will be duplicated.

EMPRESS BILLIARDS

The final in the Empress billiard tournament will take place to-morrow night when Smith (receives 25) plays Olson (receives 75). Play will start at 8 o'clock. Last night Sale (owes 100) lost by 100 to Smith (receives 25). Entries for the turkey handicap opens to-night.

CANADA MAKES GOOD SHOWING IN HORSES

Colonel Cox and Miss Carol Smith Takes Prizes at New York Show

New York, Nov. 17.—Lieut.-Colonel Herbert C. Cox, of Ennisclair Farm, Oakville, Ont., won Judge Moore's Cup for jumpers, ridden by officers in uniform, on his big bay gelding Ridgfield, at the evening session of the New York Horse Show which opened here to-day. He also took second place on the brown gelding Strand. Another of the Ennisclair Farm entries was fourth, the bay gelding Matt H., with Major Mariette up.

Breeders of trotters and Shetland ponies were the more interested on-lookers during the morning session of the show. One of the best Shetlands in the world, King Larigo, now twenty-five years old, that has won at countless shows and fairs in Canada and the United States, swept the early classes.

Seventy hunters and jumpers were judged first in the afternoon, the only thing considered being their performance over the jumps. It was the first international contest of the horse show, as the Canadian hunters of Lieut.-Colonel Cox with several

new importations from England, were opposed to the United States owned horses.

The blue ribbon went to Miss Lida Louise Fleitmann, of this city. The second and third places went to Canadians respectively, Lieut.-Colonel Cox's chestnut gelding "Shot" and Miss Carol Smith's chestnut gelding "Ondremon." Miss Smith also is from Oakville, Ont.

FREE BOXING TO-NIGHT

Free boxing lessons under the joint auspices of the V. I. A. A. and the Victoria Boxing Club will be held at the Victoria West Hall to-night. Harry Boyd and W. H. Davies, two experienced ringmen, will be on hand to supervise instruction and anticipating that the classes will be as well attended as they were last year, are

making arrangements to have a string of instructors on hand during the winter sessions.

SHARKEY SELECTED AS FIRST TO MEET WILDE

Chicago, Nov. 18.—Jimmy Wilde, British flyweight champion, who recently arrived in New York, will make his first American appearance in the ring against Joe Sharkey, of New York, December 6, at Milwaukee. If plans announced to-day by Otto Borchert, president of the Cream City A. C. of Milwaukee, are carried out, Borchert said Wilde had agreed to fight before his club for \$11,000, and that Sharkey had consented to make 161 pounds at 3 o'clock in the afternoon of the proposed ten-round bout.

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WE doubt whether Haroun, in all his wanderings, ever encountered a finer story of friendship between father and son than Peter B. Kyne tells in "Kindred of the Dust," his newest novel, now appearing in *Cosmopolitan*.

Fannie Hurst, who writes uncommon stories about common people, never told a better story than "Back Pay" in *November Cosmopolitan*. It isn't a pleasant story—and it isn't a sermon. When you read it you'll know why Miss Hurst wrote it and why no one else could have written it. There is something of Henry Fielding's frankness about it.

And how Haroun would have loved to have heard Harvey

O'Higgins tell about "The Secret Springs"—the source of every human motive and action—the force that simply makes us do the things at which we and our neighbors marvel.

Kansas, far removed from Bagdad, sent us Dana Gatlin. We can imagine old Haroun sitting wide-eyed and wondering before Miss Gatlin while she tells him the story of the sweet young woman who married a man who simply couldn't be true to her no matter how hard he tried. Yes, the caliph would have enjoyed "Why Do They Marry?"

DO you know what a flange is? Well, it's the raised edge of a car-wheel and it keeps the wheel on the track. Rupert Hughes, in "The Broken Flange," tells about a girl who wanted to be a flange, but who, at the critical moment—but read the story in *November Cosmopolitan*!

Compare Haroun al Raschid with Rex Beach. Both would go a long distance for a story, and in *November Cosmopolitan* Rex went to Mexico. Just imagine fishing in the Gulf of Mexico with Rex, where as he says in "Messing Around in Mexico," *the fish are so hungry that you have to stand behind a tree to bait your hook.*

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